

La Mesa Branch Library
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March 2017

Library Hours
M-Th: 9:30AM – 8PM
F-S: 9:30AM – 5PM, Sun: 12 – 5PM
Text: (619) 928-2251

Children’s Programs

Storytimes

Baby (0-18 months) Tuesdays at 11:30 am
Bilingual Spanish & English (all ages) Tuesdays at 4 pm
PJ Storytime (all ages) Wednesdays at 6:00 pm
Preschool (3-5 year olds) Thursdays at 10:30 am
Toddler (1-3 year olds) Fridays at 9:45am & 10:45 am

Preschool Yoga

Do you want to roar like a lion or swim like a fish? Using children's books as inspiration, a certified children's yoga instructor will engage children with yoga exercises. Have children wear comfortable clothing. Thursday, March 2, 10:30 am

Tween Program

Be a part of a new Tween group. Offer your ideas for library programs, make new friends, and have fun. Ages 8-11. Wednesday, March 1 & 15, 4:00 pm

LEGO Club

Join the fun and build with other LEGO fans. In-house LEGO toys will be provided. For ages 4-14. Mondays, 4 pm

Afternoon Kids’ Craft

Create a different craft each week (5-10 year olds). Thursdays at 3:30 pm

Teens (6th-12th grade)

Teen Gaming Day

Gaming unplugged. Board and card games available. Snacks provided. Thursday, March 2 & 30, 4-5 pm

Breakout Room

Celebrate Teen Tech Week with a Breakout Room in the library. Teens will have to solve clues to find the key to escape the room. Snacks provided. Thursday, March 9, 4-5 pm

After-Hours Teen Party

Celebrate Teen Tech Week at our after-hours event. There will be laser tag, games, henna tattoos, and more. Advanced registration and parental permission slip is required. Open to 6th-12th graders. Dinner provided. Saturday, March 11, 6-10 pm

Teen Book Club

Pick up a copy of the current title at the desk. We'll talk about what we think of the book and vote on the next title to read. Refreshments. Thursday, March 16, 4:00 pm

Action Council of Teens

The A.C.T. will decide on what teen materials we should purchase, design event flyers, plan all future teen events, decorate the teen room, and more. Attendance can count as community service. Refreshments. Thursday, March 23, 4:00 pm

Math Coaching

For grades 4-12. Get one-on-one help with your homework for algebra, geometry, or trigonometry. Sign-up required. Mondays and Tuesdays, 4:15 pm

Adults

NOW We’re Talking!

A series using art and literature as stepping stones for deep conversation about identity, community, and politics. Pick up reading at front desk. Wednesday, March 1, 10:30 am – noon

Parenting Classes: Infants, Toddlers and Pre-Schoolers

Topics include: understanding young children, building self-esteem in the early years, and helping young children learn to cooperate. Pre-registration required. Contact Valeria Moore at Home Start, Inc. to register: 619-631-8972. Saturdays, March 4, 11, 18 & 25, 10:00 am – noon.

Food for Thought Festival

A celebration of cooking and healthy food! See cooking demonstrations and try samples from the Healthy Adventures Foundation, and Explore the World of Spices with Madhu Velji. Saturday, March 4, 1:00 pm – 4:00 pm

Bereavement Support Group

VITAS Hospice invites you to a drop-in group for anyone who has suffered the loss of a loved one. Gain support from others who are experiencing loss. Tuesday, March 7, 10:30 am

Legal Aid Lectures

The Legal Aid Society of San Diego will be giving a series of presentations about important topics that we face in real life.
Social Security and Disability- Thursday, March 9, 6:00 pm
Fair Housing Law- Thursday, March 23, 6:00pm

Second Saturday Concert: Adrienne Nims and

Lady of the Loch

Celtic music for St. Patrick’s Day. Adrienne Nims sings throughout the County with her ensembles “Spirit Wind,” “Now and Zen” and “Lady of the Loch.” Brought to you by the Friends of the La Mesa Library. Saturday, March 11, 1:00 pm

Adult Book Club

Join a lively group of thinkers as we discuss *The Lighthouse* by P.D. James. Books available at the front desk. Wednesday, March 15, 10:30 am

Tales Out Loud

Actor Walter Ritter will read a variety of entertaining and literary works for those who love the spoken word. Thursday, March 16, 1 pm

Coloring for Adults

A fun way to exercise your creativity and relax your mind. We provide a variety of coloring designs and pencils so you can create unique pieces of art to bring home. Saturday, March 18, 1:00 pm

Men’s Bereavement Support Group

VITAS Hospice invites you to a monthly drop-in group for any man who has suffered the loss of a loved one. Participants gain support from others who are experiencing grief and are seeking ways to cope with day to day challenges. FREE of charge. Tuesday, March 21, 10:30 am

Saturday Movie

Latest Disney hit about a Polynesian girl who must search the ocean with the demigod Maui to find a relic that could save her people. Saturday, March 25, 2 pm

Comic Lovers Book Club

Join fellow comic fans to talk about graphic novels, manga, comic movies and more. Learn about great upcoming titles or series you might have missed. More info at Facebook.com/LaMesaComicClub. Tuesday, March 28, 6:00 pm.

Ongoing

Scrabble Club

Stop in and play with other Scrabble fans. Mondays, 4-6 pm
Introductory Computer Classes
Learn basic computer skills, registration required. Wednesdays, 10-11 am

Ebook Tutoring

Schedule your appointment for a one-on-one session and learn to download library ebooks. By appointment only, Tuesdays 2-3 pm and Fridays 1-2 pm.

Knitting Club

Bring your project and chat with other knitters. Wednesdays, 6-8 pm

SilverSneakers Yoga

Gentle yoga and strengthening exercises for all skill levels. Saturdays, 8:30-9:30 am.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<div>Friends of the Library Bookstore Open 1-4 PM daily.</div>			1 10:30 AM-Now We're Talking! 4:00 PM-Tween Program 6:00 PM-Knitting Club 6:00 PM-PJ Storytime	2 10:30 AM-Preschool Yoga 3:30 PM-Afternoon Craft (5-10 year olds) 4:00 PM- Teen Gaming Day	3 9:45 AM-Toddler Storytime 10:45 AM-Toddler Storytime 1:00 PM-Ebook Tutoring	4 8:30 AM-SilverSneakers Yoga 10:00 AM-Parenting Classes: Infants, Toddlers, and Pre-Schoolers 1:00 PM-Food for Thought
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